SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved March 1, 1878.

[No. 83, A.]

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CHAPTER 62.

AN ACT relating to the reduction of the price of swamp and overflowed lands in Monroe county.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows.

SECTION 1. The commissioners of school and uni- Authority of versity lands are hereby authorized in their discretion commissioners. to reduce the price of all swamp and overflowed lands now owned by the state in Monroe county, and that have not been once sold, and all such lands that have been once sold and forfeited to the state and are now held by the state, to the uniform price of fifty cents per acre, with the amounts of unpaid taxes added to the price of such lands sold as aforesaid: provided, that the above reduction shall not apply to any of said lands now under contract, and which may hereafter become forfeited to the state, until the expiration of two years after such forfeiture.

This actshall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 1, 1878.

[No. 305, A.]

[Published March 5, 1878.]

CHAPTER 63.

AN ACT to amend section one of chapter three hundred and eleven, of the private and local law of 1862, entitled "An act to fix the salary of the clerk of the circuit and county courts for the county of Milwaukee."

The people of the state of Wisconsin represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Section one of chapter three hundred Amendment. and eleven, of the private and local laws of 1862, entitled "An act to fix the salary of the clerk of the circuit and county courts for the county of Milwaukee,"

is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 1. The salary of the clerk of the circuit and county courts, for the county of Milwaukee, is hereby fixed at the sum of six thousand dollars per annum, which shall be paid to him by the county of Milwaukee, quarterly, at the end of each three months, out of the county treasury of the county of Milwaukee. Such clerk is hereby authorized, subject to the approval of the circuit judge, to appoint one deputy clerk of said courts, in addition to the deputy clerk now provided for by law, and such additional deputy may be removed by the said clerk, and shall be invested with the same powers and duties as is provided by law in case of deputy clerks of the circuit court throughout this state; and the said salary shall be in full for all services which said clerk is required by law to perform in any action or proceeding instituted, tried or had in said circuit and county courts, and also for deputy and clerk hire: provided, that in addition to said salary, he shall also be entitled to receive the fees which are now provided by law for copies of records or papers, commissions, transcripts, and exemplifications of judgments and records, and in no case shall be or his deputies, clerk or clerks, or any or either of them, be allowed or paid any per diem fee for attendance upon either of said courts.

Proviso.

Repealed.

SECTION 2. Chapter three hundred and seventy-one of the laws of 1876 entitled "An act to amend section one of chapter three hundred and eleven, of the private and local laws of 1872, entitled 'An act to fix the salary of the clerk of the circuit and county courts for the county of Milwaukee," is hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after January 1, 1879.

Approved March 1, 1878.

[No. 227, A.]

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CHAPTER 64.

AN ACT to authorize the state of Maryland to convey to the United States the interest of the state of Wisconsin in the National Cemetery at Antietam, Maryland.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

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SECTION 1. The state of Maryland is hereby authorized to convey to the United States all the right, title